CITY NEWS

of this city to Ralph Christiansen of Park Ridge, Ill., is announced.

A license to sell real estate was granted in probate court Tuesday in the estate of John Dady, late of Colchester.

There was a settlement and decree in the estate of Lucy Bartholomew, late of this city, in probate court yesterday.

Word has been received from Benjamin B. Braker, who has been recommended for a commission, of his arrival overseas. and Mrs. H. L. Shover are parents of a son, Donald Harris, born at the Mary Fletcher hospital Monday morn-

With an official temperature of 83 de-grees, Tuesday was the warmest day, by a considerable margin, thus far this

F. D. Spaulding, who recently sold his home at 98 College street, has purchased the Albert G. Peirce house at 103 South

Station four of the Burlington postoffice will be in charge of Miss Cella J. Silverman at 24 Church street until June 30, 1919. Miss Silverman succeeding H. A.

Three men were enlisted at the navy recruiting station Monday, Lyman F.

Frary of Bristol, Wilfred L. Deslaurien of Morgan Center and George Kelley of of this city, were in city court Monday on the authority of a warrant issued the rolles by State's Attorney Martin.

At the home of the bride at 26 Park street, Arthur Thayah and Miss Ruby Irene Tucker were married Saturday evening at nine o'clock, the Rev. J. S. Braker officiating. Pearl Hardy and Miss Mary Chappy

both of this city, were married at St. Paul's parish house Saturday evening by The couple was attended by their parents.

James S. Braker officiating. Next Saturday afternoon at the home Willard street a meeting of the execu-tive committee of the Vermont Women Teachers' club will be held.

Miss Edna Carpenter and William Rushford were married Saturday even-ing at eight o'clock at the home of the bride at 243 Church street, the Rev. J. S. Braker performing the ceremony.

Moira, N. Y., by the serious illness of her brother, E. A. Ward, and Mrs. Ward, telegraphed Mr. Beach Tuesday that Mrs. Ward died that afternoon at four

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McMahon of South Willard street announcement the engagement of their daughter, Marie, Clarence A. Lefferts, 77th U. S. Field Artillery, now stationed at

will of Ellen Tatro, late of Rich mond, was filed for probate Thursday. Other business that occupied the attention of probate court during the day was ing of the will of Bliza C. Hol-

James L. Orcutt of Saxtons River were added to the list of Vermonters in the U. S. navy, at the local recruiting station

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A despatch from Buffalo, N. V., received Tuesday stated that Marshall Harvey White, clerk and stenographer of Bur-lington, enlisted at Albany Monday in the Carolina, for training.

Franklin E. Griffin of this city was with him. prosecuted in city court Tuesday by City Grand Juror C. R. White for exceeding the speed limit in an automobile. On his plea of guilty to the charge the court taxed Mr. Griffin in fine and costs the

Six men enlisted in the navy Tuesday the navy recruiting station, Albert Provost of Willsboro, N. Y., Merrill Kirkpatrick of Saratoga Springs, Y., Earl H. Tuttle of Townshend. George O. Pratt of Barre, Charles H. Ellicott of Montpelier and Merritt D. Bragg of Fayston.

Raymond Barstow of this city was sent to Fort Slocum, N. Y., Tuesday by the local exemption board. Mr. Barstow, who was self-inducted into the tank corps a camp in Pennsylvania, where he will ndergo a period of training.

Persons arriving or leaving this city via the Union station will be pleased to learn that the depot car is in operation again. This is the result of a talk the mayor had with the Traction company officials on Saturday. Shortage of help was the reason given for the car not being in operation the last few months.

Dr. L. P. Sprague of Chateaugay, N. Y. has been commissioned a captain in the Medical Reserve Corps and assigned for duty at General Hospital No. 16, New Haven, Conn. Captain Sprague is a graduate of the University of Vermont and was formerly on the staff of the Vermont State Board of Health labora-

Harry F. Allen of 49 Cliff street, this the lone Vermonter who has qualified for a commission as second lieutenant in the national army at the training camp at Camp Wadsworth, S. C. Most of the graduates are from New York city and vicinity. Mr. Allen will be placed in

The attention of the Free Press is called to the fact that the names of Philip M. McMahon, U. V. M., ex-'19, of Westport. N. Y., and Jere J. O'Brien, U. V. M., '18, of Pittsfield, Mass., were omitted in the list of Vermonters and former U. V. M.

Virgil K. Kent of Springfield, Mass. Harian A. Brooks of Philadelphia, N. Y., Guy H. Walter and Claude C. Duval of West Burke, Clarence V. Hinckley, James F. Fallon and Walter P. Rice, all of Rutland, were enlisted at the local navy rewere rejected because of a physical dis-

Arthur C. Shepard, Ray D. Crane and Harold R. Town, three Chittenden county registrants self-inducted into the army, went Friday to Fort Slocum, N. Y. Transportation was furnished. Another registrant to leave town was Joseph F. Gebhardt, who started for St. Louis, to Missouri city.

Humors in Spring

Weakness, Languer, Debility. Afflict thousands of people and seem to lemand the use of a Spring course of reatment without a delay.

The very best medicine to take now s Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thoroughly cleanses the blood and effects radical and permanent relief by perfecting the es of absorption and elimination -giving healthy activity to the stomach, ver, kidneys, bowels and skin.

This good medicine purifies, enriches and revitalizes the blood in its own peculiar and unequalled way. It promptly re-lieves rheumatism, scrotulous troubles and ecsema, regulates the kidneys and iver. It originated in a Boston physician's successful prescription, and en-Joys high reputation as a satisfactory allround family medicine. Accept no substitute, but insist on having Hood's Sarsaparilla, and get it to-day. It will do

The usual service will not be offered this year by the Champlain Transportation company. The steamer Ticonderoga will go south only Wednesday and Thursday evenings, returning from Westport and

which charged the two with gambling with dice. In each case the respondents pleaded guilty, both were fined by the court \$3.00 and costs of \$7.06, and both nade arrangements to pay.

The water which has covered Sandbar bridge, since the thaw has now gone down and yesterday automobile trucks and teams had no difficulty in passing over it, although in places there was of Burlington occurred Saturday afternoon at the Baptist parsonage, the Rev. The bridge is rough in spots,
but the remainder of the roads through
the islands are in much better shape
than they were a year are

Major M. Shaler Allen of the Defense League, Brooklyn, N. Y., was recently complimented by the league with a dinner at the Hotel St. George, at which addresses were made by the Rev. Dr. Hillis and others, and Major Allen was presented with a military watch inscribed with the league's appreciation of his efficient work in its behalf.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Ruth Wells Isham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Isham, to Edward Henry Thornton at their home on Williams street on April 20, Dr. I. C. Smart officiating. Mr. Thornton, formerly teller in the Chittenden County Trust company, is now with the Third Signal Service company at the University of Vermont.

The will of Jerusha C. Crane of Wilof this city, was filed for probate. Robert Roberts was appointed executor of arr the will of Luke Craven, late of this city. H. S. Peck and Robert Noble were appointed commissioners in this estate. The will of Mary Luck, late of this city,

The divorce petition of Joseph H. Blake of Milton against his wife, Mrs.

and officers of the local Plumbers' Union had a conference yesterday over the strike which was started about the first of April. The result was a compromise and the men will return to work to-day

News has been received in this city that leut. Roy W. Chase of this city, who has been stationed at San Antonio, Texas, has been transferred to Portland, Oregon. Lieutenant Chase received his commis sion at the Plattsburgh camp and was as-United States marine corps. He will be signed to the 668th Aero Supply Squadron sent May 13th to Port Royal, South at Kelley Field. Mrs. Chase, who has been in Burlington, left Thursday for Chicago to join her husband and go to Oregor

> The Central Vermont railway has instituted a week-end service between points on its line and Montreal. The train leaving Burlington at 9:50 in the morning on Saturdays and Mondays will go through to Montreal, whereas on other days it goes only as far as St. Albans. On the same days the train which now starts at St. Albans and ar-Albans. rives in Burlington at 5:10 in the after-noon will bring people in from Montreal.

The Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian Church held the annual meeting Friday afternoon in the church parlors when reports of the year's work were read and oficers for the ensuing year elected, as follows: President, Mrs. Howard H. Shufelt; rice-president, Mrs. Edmund Mower ecretary, Mrs. G. Q. Stiles; treasurer, Mrs. William P. Walker; auditor, Mrs. Sam Sparhawk; additional members of executive committee, Mrs. G. D. Sampson and Mrs. C. H. Beecher.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Union of the Baptist Church was held dance and also furnished the orchestra in the church vestry last evoling. The which played from 8:30 to 12. The comreport of the treasurer showed that \$1,873.93 had been raised during the last year. The officers elected were: Pres dent. Mrs. W. A. Davison; first vice-president, Mrs. A. B. Simonds; second vice-president, Mrs. C. G. Crane; third vice-president, Miss Leonora Col-lins; secretary, Miss Adella Orton; treasurer, Mrs. Etta Fuller.

Mrs. W. G. Phelps, who has been at 40 South Willard street, returned to Burlington Friday from Salisbury, where she had been visiting her mother. She is now preparing to move to Hart-ford, Conn., to join her husband. Mr Phelps is well known in Burlington. being for several years connected with the Lewis & Blanchard store on Church street. He accepted an important position in Hartford about four months the infantry when a suitable vacancy ago with the G. Fox stores in the shoe

The Free Press is in receipt of a letter from Ralph G. LaFrance of Company D. 101st Ammunition Train, American Expeditionary Forces, taking exceptions to the published statement that he is a "draft dodger." His point would seem to be exceedingly well taken as he has students published in last week's Free been in the army nearly a year. He en-Infantry, of which J. L. Shanley of in France for the last six months.

S. A. Lareau of 216 Archibald street has been made manager of the Burling-ton Co-operative Milk Products company, the new concern from the amalga-mation of the various retail milk dis-tributors of the city, who have purchased the plant of A. R. White on Main street. Mr. Lareau, who is a man of experience in the dairy business, was one of the first signers of the articles of in-corporation and has been a prominent

are not of the long, sweet song variety A. Deyette and Mrs. Edward Stevens; became apparent Thursday when he filed Methodist Church, Mrs. L. C. Munson and a suit at the county clerk's office for Mrs. John Taylor. a suit at the county clerk's office for a divorce from his spouse, who was previous to her marriage Louise Myers of this city. Alleged failure to keep the marriage covenant is the grounds upon which the dissolution of the marriage bond is sought. The couple was mar-ried by the Rev. Charles V. Grismer and appear to have lived happily together until March, 1917.

Allen Hospital Graduate Nurses' association was held at the hospital at three clock yesterday afternoon. There was cers were elected: President, Mrs. A. L. Meunier; vice-president, Georgianna Erno; secretary, Mary Murrin; treasurer, Sister Collins. A committee was ap-pointed, Mrs. Rawlor chairman, to find out the needs of the Fanny Allen hos-pital nurses abroad and to send necessary supplies, also to present a service flag to the hospital.

The steamer Vermont will start on her regular trips June 17, about two weeks later than usual, and it is not expected that there will be any difference in her schedule from other years. The Sunday trips will begin in July and will con-tinue through a part of July and August. The hoat will run as usual between Plattsburgh and Montcalm Landing. the summer camps only Thursday and Just what the trips between Plattsburgh Friday mornings. In addition, the Saturand Burlington will be with the Ticonday night excursions probably will be run deroga has not been settled definitely, as much depends on whether there are go sized camps at Plattsburgh and Fort Ethan Allen.

B. W. Freeman, for three years manager of the New Sherwood, has taken over The Crossman at Alexandria Bay. N. Y. The hotel, which is one of the largest in the country and has an international reputation, has been remo and many improvements have been made. Mr. Freeman states that he already is assured of a good business. As early as this a number of conventions have been booked, including the State superintendents of charities, the eastern division of the New York Life Insurance company. nut and bolt manufacturers and others.

The annual meeting of Macdonough Chapter, United States Daughters of 1812. was held Friday afternoon, when the following officers were elected: Regent, Mrs. J. G. Hindes; first vice-regent, Mrs. A. S. Isham; second vice-regent, Mrs. H. R. Watkins; secretary, Mrs. T. B. Jones; registrar, Mrs. G. E. Lamb; treasurer, Mrs. C. J. Russell; historian, Miss Theodora Peck; auditor, Mrs. R. M. Cunningham; chaplain, Mrs. P. C. Mahan; coun cillors, Mrs. C. H. Reade, Mrs. E. Henry Powell and Mrs. C. W. Baker, Mrs. A. S. Isham gave a report of the national convention in Washington.

Everett Blow of this city, until Satur-Monday by Judge J. T. Stearns to not less than five and a half nor more than six months at hard labor at the house of correction in Rutland. Blow pleaded liston was proved in probate court Fri- guilty to the charge of petit larceny, day. The will of Clara R. Pease, late preferred against him by City Grand guests of the Vermont. He has served time at the Industrial school at Vergennes, so confinement behind prison bars will be nothing novel to him.

At the annual meeting of the Athena Among the students at Holy Cross College to whom testimonials of merit have just been awarded are: John E. Nash and Roy E. Corley of this city, George W. McCulloch of St. Albans and Daniel F. Carmody of Fair Haven.

Addie M. Evans Blake of Fairfax, was ternoon, the following of in February 1913. Leon D. Latham aping secretary, Mrs. Roy D. Sykes; and Mrs. J. Thompson of St. Albans. Besides the big improvement in pike peared for Blake.

The body was taken Monday to Rutland, fishing, the trout are biting better than Officials of the G. S. Blodgett company and auditor, Miss Henrietta M. Wood, burial, sistant treasurer, Mrs. P. E. McSweeney, The club voted to keep open during summer, probably for Red Cross The summer meetings will be in charge of the social committee

to examine applicants for service in the vid of Ontonogon, Mich., William of The reason for the improvement in the navy, but such nearly proved to be the Brooklyn, N. Y., Michael and Frank of trout fishing is that more fry have been case Saturday. In the afternoon a fellow Burlington and by one daughter, Miss named Boyce, who halls from Cambridge, Mary Burns of this city. put in an appearance, preferring selfnduction in some branch of the service to conscription. In order that the physician might examine Boyce's heart it was necessary for him to mount a chair, as it also was necessary for another man errors. Boyce measured six feet eleven nches. He is but 20 years of age, and is being held on a waiver.

At the annual meeting of the Klife noon, the following officers were elected vice-president, Mrs. Addison B. Buell corresponding secretary, Mrs. Forest W Kehoe; recording secretary, Miss Laura Wales; treasurer, Mrs. Ernest A. Brodie; chairman of finance committee, Miss Anna S. Reynolds; chairman of calendar committee, Mrs. Levi P. Smith; chair nan of house committee, Mrs. Mary L. Saunders; chairman of civics committee, Mrs. George G. Groat. The club voted to give the rooms for the use of some patriotic work this summer, the nature of which will be decided by the govern-

About 150 couples attended the dance of the Patriotic League given at the New Sherwood Hotel last evening. Manager Steele gave the league the use of mittee in charge of the dance was Miss Genevieve Lessor, Miss Zorinne Daigle, Miss Ella Somerville, Miss Cora Montof the success of the dance was due to their untiring work. The hall was decorated with the flags of the allies. After the bills of the dance have been paid the committee believes that ther will be about \$60 to present to the Oak Ledge camp.

First Lieut. Joseph J. Matthews, Signal Reserve Corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Matthews of 54% South Champlain street, has been recommended for a commission as captain. He is 30 years old and has been in the army since March, 1909, enlisting in the 15th Cavalry at Fort Ethan Allen. He was commissioned a first lieutenant of infantry at the completion of the second officers training camp at Plattaburgh last Novem signal corps, aviation section, and since

Later he was transferred to the March 14 has been stationed at Langley Field, Va., as assistant post inspector on administration and sanitation, also in-structor in army paper work. Mr. and Mrs. Matthews have two other sons in he service, Napoleon and Edward, both

The Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C.

A. held their annual meeting at the as-sociation rooms Monday afternoon. The report of the treasurer showed a good balance in the treasury and the reports of the other officers and committees were equally gratifying. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. Harvey Foote; first vice-president, Mrs. William Baptist Church, Mrs. W. S. Phelps and Mrs. Edward Hanbridge; St. Paul's Church, Mrs. F. A. Drew and Mrs. G. W.

Probate court was a busy place Mon-

day, Judge J. H. Macomber appointing administratrices, administrators, executrices, executors, commissioners and appraisers in no less than five estates Lida M. Lancu of this city was appointed executrix of the will of J. Ernest Lanou, late of Burlington, with Elibu B. Taft and John S. Derway, Burling-tonians, commissioners and appraisers; Guy W. Bailey of Essex was appointed executor of the will of Elisa C. Holley. inte of Essex, with Samuel Keeler of Essex and Jed T. Varney of Jericho commissioners and appraisers; Frank Talcott of Williston was appointed executor of the will of Jerusha late of Williston, with C. S. Wright and Charles F. Johnson of Williston commissioners and appraisers; Christy Peters of this city was appointed administratrix of the estate of Eugene Poro, late of this city, with Herald Stevens and Octave Lavalle of this city commissioners and appraisers; M. M. Barber of Williston was appointed administrator of the estate of William Milew, late of this city, with Frank Talcott and Byron C. Johnson of Williston commissioners and appraisers.
There were settlements and decrees in
the estates of Christine Tatro, late of
this city, Johanna Dady, late of Colchester, Mary E. Ward, late of this
city, and Delina Childs, late of this

OBITUARY

Aldice F. Bullard

Aldice F. Bullard died early Friday norning at his home, 38 Hickok place, Bullard was born in 1844 in Wilmington, N. Y. For some 25 years he was engaged in business in St. Albans, coming to Burlington to live four years ago. He was a man who by his genial manner and high character won and held the friendship and esteem of those with whom he came in contact. He is survived in his family by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Grace Flagg of Vergennes

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at three o'clock at his late home. The burial was in Lake View cemetery. Mr. Bullard was a member of the Knights of Pythias of St. Albans.

Mrs. Mary Ann Mortin

Mrs. Mary Ann Martin died Friday Mrs. J. E. Reeves, 29 Fletcher place, fol-lowing an illness of three years. She was born in February, 1850, the daughter of James Cullen, in Ireland, coming to day employed at the Hotel Vermont as in Montreal, where Mr. Martin, her husher daughter.

She is survived by three daughters, several handbags, the property of with solemn high mas, at St. Mary's to get up to a good size. Cathedral, Interment was in St. Albans.

Nell II. Lynch Nell E. Lynch, until recently in busiclub, held in their rooms Tuesday af- 10:45 o'clock at the home of his brother, 30 to the railroad station after the fry ternoon, the following officers were J. F. Lynch, at 27 E cokes avenue, after and plant them under favorable circum-elected: President, Mrs. Charles F. Dal- a lingering liness of three years. He stances. It is not allowable to sell any of his form r home, for the funeral and

North Champlain street. Saturday mora-

The funeral was held Tuesday morn ing at ten o'clock at St. Mary's Cathedral.

Miss Margaret E. Madigan

Miss Margaret E. Madigan died at 12:15 clock Tuesday morning at her home to measure his eyes for refractive at 36 Front street, after a long illness, She is survived in her family by one sister, Joseph Madigan, and by two lington postoffice for the week ending brothers, Michael and William, all of May 1, 1218:

The funeral will be held at St. Mary's Cathedral at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning.

Lawrence Guyette

Mrs. Charles Beauchmin of Park street received a telegram Monday announcing the death of Lawrence Guyette, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Guvette o be remembered as a young man who l ved with Mr. and Mrs. Beauchmin and worked in Burlington last summer and fall, his Bros, store. He left here on account taken ill soon after arriving home, dying Monday morning at 7:45. He was it years old. Many friends and acquaintances here will sympathize with his perents.

Miss Bertha Shepard

Miss Bertha Shepard of Stowe died Tuestay night at a local hospital, following an operation for appendicitis. She was 19 years of age and was the daughter of Mr and Mrs. Leon Shepard. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Corbin & Frye and was taken on the 10:35 train yesterday morning to Stowe.

William Garrow

William Garrow died last evening at six o'clock at his home at 77 Front street He is survived in his family by his wife daughter, who lives here, and one son who is now serving his country in France. The funeral probably will be held Saturday morning at St. Joseph's Church, at an hour to be announced later.

Donald Lawrence

Donald Lawrence, the 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lawrence of North street, died yesterday morning from the effects of burns received two weeks ago. He was a student at the Nazareth school, where he was a mem-ber of the Holy Name society. He also was a member of St. Joseph's Church. Resides his parents, he is survived by five brothers, Mary, Byron, Paul, Allen and Robert, and by five sisters, Frances, Irene, Dorothy, Jeanne and Monica. The funeral will be held Friday morning at nine o'clock at St. Joseph's Church. Burial will be in Mt. Calvary cemetery.

Mrs. C. E. Sullivan

Cornelius E. Sullivan died at the Mary Fletcher hospital Tuesday night from burns received while at work about her home last Sunday morning. She was 45 years old and is survived by her Davis; second vice-president, Mrs. Asro
Davis; second vice-president, Mrs. Asro
M. Aseltine; secretary, Mrs. H. R.
Beecher; treasurer, Miss Mae Smith. The
following board of managers was elected:
Thomas Green of Richmond, William
Bantist Church, Mrs. W. S. Photograph Green now serving in France and for-merly of Burlington, and Stephen Green of his own.

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Church, Mrs. Henry Todd and Mrs. Lee at St. Mary's Cathedral Friday morn-ing at 10:20 o'clock.

Suckers and Mullets by the Ton Taken Out of the Lamoille River Near Milton by Officials Who are Looking for Pike to Furnish Spawn

More than a ton of perfectly good fish was given away yesterday in West Milton on the Lamoille river, and about the same day before. More than that, fish will be free in that vicinity for several days to come, in all probability. The fish, which are being given away to those who call for them, are mullets and suckers, and although they do not occupy a place on many restaurant menus under that name, the fish are proclaimed to be excellent food and most palatable when paked. The people who are helping out the food supply in this manner are the State officials who are drawing nets in the river

for pike. The pike are taken out and stripped of the spawn and then returned to the river but the mullets and suckers are not returned to the water for the reason that they eat the spawn and young of the other fish and thus do more harm than good. Some of the fish which were given away yesterday weighed as much as six pounds each. They are a much ers from near and far drove in to get their supply. Some of them got enough to last several days and the trip paid. Yesterday a number in automobiles went out from Burlington to get a sample. State takes no money for the fish and the only desire of the officials is to so distribute the fish so that they will not be sold but will be used in different house-holds. The larger fish are baked with a dressing along the same lines as a turkey. Edward Isham is in charge of giving away the fish and it is put in the hands of one man to prevent any one person from getting an over-supply. There is little doubt but that there will be at least a ton of fish given away to-day. The fish are in god condition and if properly cared for will remain fresh for several days. As a result of the stripping, the pike

will furnish about 50,000,000 eggs which morning at the home of her daughter, will be hatched at the hatchery to be installed on the Champlain Transportation company's wharf next week. also furnish the spawn for the hatchery at West Swanton.

The method of artifically hatching the band, died ten years ago. For the last than that of nature. It is estimated that year she had made her home here with of the 50,000,000 eggs, between 70 and 80 per cent. will go into the lake as little She is survived by three daughters, pike. Of course after that there is a loss Mrs. Reeves of this city. Miss Maurie and but the fish instinctively take pretty good Miss Emily Martin of Montreal; and two care of themselves. They travel in schools preferred against him by City Grand sons, Henry of Michigan and Thomas of Juror White. He acknowledged, when Three Rivers, Que. The funeral was arrested Saturday morning, the rifling held Monday morning at nine o'clock, between three and four years for them

On account of the high cost of food many applications for fish fry have been received from different parts of the State These the State furnishes free of charge, iesz in this city, died Sunday evening at the only conditions being that some one was 45 years of age and unmarried. Be- the fry. In addition to the pike, the spawn of many other fishes is given away another kind of fish would thrive better

ever. Some good catches are now being made in Chittenden county which has not been known as much of a trout region in many years. One brook trout weighing Mrs. Mary Burns died at her home, 111 more than a pound was taken out of Huntington river this week and there is planted of late and this year there will be planted about twice the amount of last

The pike fishing is now good and the boats are getting from eight to 30 each. Yesterday one fisherman brought in pike weighing six and a quarter pounds.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

List of unclaimed letters in the Bur-

WOMEN'S LIST

Miss Winibel Bowman, Lena Pessette, Miss Elizabeth Bessett, Miss Baker, Mabel Craven, Gladys DuRocher, Mrs. Carrie A. Dean, Mrs. Henry Ducot. Sophia Fountain, Miss Georgia Ferrier, Mrs. H 1. Granfield, Mrs. Frederick Hadley, sen, Mrs. Ida Hendrick, Mrs. Marguerite ther Magoon, Mrs. M. McIntyre, Mrs. George Peck, Mrs. Ella Pratt, Anna L. Rosenberg, Miss Irene Shrine, Mrs. M. J. Stone, Mrs. Harold Theyer, Miss Mary Willson, Mirs Annie White, Mrs. Edwin Weller, Dolly Wright, Miss Ila P Wright, MEN'S LIST

A. W. Braisted, H. Bloom, M. Blough, Mr. Barry, F. L. Gale Lieut, W. F. Huyes, H. L. Kelley, R. Lapel, Narcisse Lavoie, D. S. Lombard, J. E. Mer-riam, W. Z. Meralcan, E. D. McKendry, Arthur J. McNally, Jesso M. McGrath, A. E. Mahar, Philmore & Stade, Harold Puffer, Harold Rogers, Howard B. Stapleton, John H. Sullivan, H. J. Willlams, E. W. Whiting.
Package for friends or relatives of
Edward G. Nash.

TITCOMB HOLDS HIS JOB

Governor Whitman Votoes Bill to Legislate Plah Culturist Out of Office State Fish Culturist John W. Titcomb of New York, formerly fish and game commissioner of Vermont, is not to lose his position in the Empire State, as was thought would be the case when the Leg-islature recently attempted to abolish the office of State fish culturist.

Governor Charles S. Whitman has put his veto on the bill, which was aimed at the abolishment of Mr. Titcomb from office. The reason for the New York State's executive action will be found in a communication handed to a Free Press nan yesterday by H. N. Rowley of Shelburne, game warden for Chittenden

ounty.
The communication was addressed to the Governor by the conservation commis-sioner. It sets forth in detail the conservation commissioner's objections to the bill, in which the Governor heartily con-curred. Referring to the bill, "An act to repeal section 151 of the conservation law," the Governor said that such an act would strike at the very foundation of all that the State had done by the way of fish production, both for food and recreation production, both for food and recreation purposes. The State now has 11 hatcher-ies and the management of these requires much scientific training as well as execu-tive ability. It would be absolutely disas-trous for anyone without the technical training to attempt to supervise the work onnected with these

Mr. Titcomb after a most careful investi-gation and after he had been advised by Hon. Hugh M. Smith, chief of the United States Bureau of Fisheries, who said that Mr. Titcomb was absolutely the best man

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to be found in the United States for the night from war work duty in France.
work to be done. Gov. Whitman then referred to Titcomb work in South America,
fittingly decorated with the national ferred to Titcomb work in South America. his writings on technical subjects, nected with fish culture, and the fact that his ability had been recognized by his coleagues who had elected him to the presidency of the American Fisheries society. He considered that the State was very

fortunate to get such a man.

Gov. Whitman further said that after a year of Mr. Titcomb's service, he felt all the stronger that his judgment in his selection had been justified. In closing Gov. Whitman submitted that it was absolutely impossible for New York to carry fish cultural work without the a fish culturist in charge, and further that the present incumbent is a thoroughly competent man. In his opinion, an attack such as had been made by the Legislature at a time like this on the fish cultural was unpatriotic to the last degree. He

therefore vetoed the bill. GREET B. N. CLARK

Two Hundred Friends Give Hearty Welcome to Returning Y. M. C. A. Sec. It was apparent that it would have been great deal easier for Byron N. Clark have faced the German gas in his Y. M. C. A. hut behind the lines in France on the morale of the men is wonderful. The work of a Y. M. C. A. secretary in dred enthusiastic friends who tendered him a reception at the local Y. M. C. A. grave digging to fighting, from religious

Young Men's Christian association of gram and the ladies of the association Vermont, returned to Burlington Tuesday served a collation,

with W. J. Van Patten, secretary of the State Y. M. C. A. committee, and Charles F. Purinton, president of the local as-sociation, formed the receiving line.

Following the personal greetings returned Burlingtonian, President Purinwhich he commended the excellent work of Mr. Clark and told how the local association was proud of his record. Then he introduced Mr. Van Patten, who also commended the work of Mr. Clark and the association in general, both at home and

Then followed an hour's address by the genial secretary about his overseas work in the land of shot and shell. He told how Vermont seemed like heaven after the devastation of war in France and how much the association was appreciated and what it was doing for the men. Soldiers in the trenches ask for New Testaments and he told of giving out several thou-sand of the pocket edition to soldiers with asked for them. It is not an excited forvor of religion, so he stated, but the mer realize that any time they may go to their Maker and they want to get right with God. The effect of religious services ast night.

Mr. Clark, who is State secretary of the

An orchestra furnished a musical pro-